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## NOTICE OF INVITATION FOR BIDS (IFB) IFB 06-06

Sealed bids are invited for the construction of the replacement of handicapped ramps to the nature trail at Northern Virginia Training Center. The project is generally described as the demolition of the existing wooden nature trail access ramps and installation of ADA compliant nature trail access ramps, Fairfax, Virginia.

Sealed bids will be received at Northern Virginia Training Center, Building 2, Procurement Office, 9901 Braddock Road, Fairfax, Virginia 22032-1940. **The deadline for submitting bids is 2:00 P.M. sharp, as determined by the Bid Officer, on Tuesday, May 9, 2006.** The bids will be opened publicly and read aloud **beginning** at 2:00 P.M., on Wednesday, May 10, 2006 at the same location.

A Bid Bond is required.

This is a re-bid of IFB 05-07.

**<u>eVA BUSINESS-TO-GOVERNMENT VENDOR REGISTRATION</u>:** The bidder or offeror must be a registered vendor in eVA to be awarded this contract. Bidder must include the cost of the eVA transaction fee in its bid.

Procedures for submitting a bid, claiming an error, withdrawal of bids and other pertinent information are contained in the Instructions to Bidders, which is part of the Invitation for Bids. Withdrawal due to error in bid shall be permitted in accord with Section 9 of the Instructions to Bidders and § 2.2-4330, Code of Virginia. The Owner reserves right to reject any or all bids.

A pre-bid conference will be held at the project site for the north walk at 10:30 a.m., on Friday, April 28, 2006. Attendance shall be mandatory for those submitting a bid.

The contract shall be awarded on a lump sum basis. 'Notice of Award' or 'Notice of Intent to Award' will be posted on the bulletin board at the DMHMRSAS.

Contractor registration in accordance with Section 54.1-1103 of the Code of Virginia is required. See the Invitation for Bids for additional qualification requirements.

The Invitation for Bids for the above project, including the drawings and the specifications containing the information necessary for bidding, may be obtained from the office of Virginia Reproduction and Supply Company, 543 Southlake Boulevard, Richmond, Virginia 23236, Telephone (804) 594-0940.

A deposit of \$25.00 for each set of the Invitation for Bids documents will be required as a guarantee of the safe return of the documents within ten days after the bid opening. A non-refundable shipping charge of \$15.00 per set is required for all sets requiring shipment.

Copies of the Invitation for Bids documents, including the plans and the specifications, will also be available for inspection at the following locations:

Wiley & Wilson, Inc. Richmond, VA

Dodge Plan Room Richmond and Roanoke, VA

Builders Exchange Richmond, VA DMHMRSAS, A&E Services Richmond, VA

DMHMRSAS, Office of A&E Services